Attorney Docket No. 1700.133 Confirmation No. 2020 **PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Michael J. Collins, Jr. et al.

Group Art Unit: 3742

Serial No. 10/605,021 Filed: September 2, 2003

For: Controlled Flow Instrument for

MICROWAVE ASSISTED CHEMISTRY WITH HIGH

VISCOSITY LIQUIDS AND HETEROGENEOUS MIXTURES

February 25, 2004

MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FOR SUBMITTING MISSING PARTS

Sir:

The Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time for submitting the Declaration (listed in the Notice to File Missing Parts) for the above-identified application. The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application is dated November 26, 2003. Applicant is given two months from the date of said Notice within which to file the missing parts (*i.e.*, January 26, 2004). This Petition thus requests that the date for the missing parts be extended to February 26, 2004.

The required fee of \$55.00 [37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)] is enclosed; any additional fee or refund associated with this Petition may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0332.

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Respectfully submitted,

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